

President Harding Proposes to Get Efficiency if Complete Changes In Officials Is Necessary to Obtain Same

Washington, April 8.—The whole system of governmental appointments under the civil service may be changed unless there is increased efficiency.

This flat pronouncement was made at the White House today. It has direct and important bearing upon bitter row in the treasury department as a result of the President's efforts to increase efficiency in several treasury bureaus.

The White House statement was construed by many to mean that unless Secretary of the Treasury Mellon shows a disposition to "play ball" with the President, he may find it necessary to resign.

The administration's stand for reform in the treasury is firm. The President's lieutenants appointed expressly to re-organize the bureau of internal revenue, have unquestionably met with opposition from Secretary Mellon. The latter's recent statement to the effect that there would be no changes in the bureau drew fire from the White House today in the first skirmish of what

promises to be a bitter patronage battle, that may disrupt the entire civil service.

Elmer Dover, assistant secretary of the treasury, and former secretary of the Republican national committee, is the man upon whom President Harding relies to lead the Republican cohorts out of the patronage desert. Mr. Dover has been instructed to clean up the bureau of internal revenue, where evidence of glaring inefficiency has come to light.

This situation is largely blamed on the fact that pivotal positions in this bureau, one of the most important in the government, are held by Democrats. David H. Blair, commissioner of internal revenue, is said to have opposed the sought for changes, and to have taken his grievances to Secretary Mellon, who appears to be backing Blair against Dover. This situation cannot last, and those in a position to know say that it can have but one result—the resignation of both Secretary Mellon and Commissioner Blair, to

be followed by a sweeping cleanup by Mr. Dover. The system as a whole, the President believes, has worked out well.

NEWS ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM MONROE COMMUNITY

On April 2nd, Sunday p. m., there was a beautiful home wedding near Abernathy, in which Mr. Earnest Thaxton and Miss Elvera Tannehill were the happy contracting parties. The ceremony was performed in a very impressive manner by Mr. Howell, a minister of the Methodist church of Abernathy, in the home of the bride, with many friends in attendance. The groom is well known in Lubbock and Monroe, and has many friends. He is eldest son to Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Thaxton who lives on their ranch on Route No. 3. Miss Elvera has taught the primary grades in the Monroe school and is very popular with her pupils and her patrons too. The gifts from the pupils in her room, attest to the love and good wishes felt for her and Earnest in years to come.

Our school closed on April 7th and a great number of the pupils were promoted, although the term was short.

Our Principal teacher, Mr. Russell and wife and son, James, are leaving soon and we will miss them. Adrain Merrell is attending school at Abernathy, since Monroe school closed. He expects to attend summer normal at Canyon later. We are proud to see his enthusiasm in getting an education.

Mr. King preached on Saturday night, Sunday a. m. and p. m., to a very attentive audience. Mr. King has preached for the Baptist church for over 40 years, and makes his message to the sinner very plain and his exhortation sincere. Mr. Tennyson was also present and helped in the service, calling for a free will offering for the Baptist Orphan's Home at Dallas, which was reported to by most all their members.

Mr. Enev. Clutter has gone to Bonham, Texas, on a visit for a few days.

Mr. Morgan looks mighty lonesome keeping house while Mr. Clutter is away.

Mr. Henry Barber and family of Lubbock were calling on the Stephenson's here last Sunday p. m.

Mrs. Teal spent last week visiting her children in Lubbock. While Mr. Teal was visiting other children who live in Oklahoma.

John Williams, of Lubbock, spent the week end with his parents and motored with them to call on old friends in this community. John finds his work for Parks Grain Co. very interesting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Long opened the doors of their pretty home to the young people who met to sing on last Tuesday night, and a pleasant evening is reported by those present.

Mrs. Rufus Bundy is on the sick list this week.

We received a copy of "The Plains Agricultural Journal, through the kindness of the Lubbock State Bank and we enjoyed it very much. Here is hoping it may have a wonderful circulation, for it is just full of things of interest to the country people, and the short biography of Mr. Curtis Keen is worth a year's subscription, besides all the other good reading. I am subscribing for it and appreciate the sample copy.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS

Whereas, Percy Spencer was named and appointed trustee in a certain deed of trust executed by George C. Wolffarth, Lottie Wolffarth, Easton Wolffarth and Stella Wolffarth, on February 8, 1921, and filed for record February 8, 1921, with the County Clerk of Lubbock County, Texas, as more fully described and shown by record thereof in Volume 15, page 249 of the Deed of Trust Records of Lubbock County, Texas, describing and conveying to said trustee 1843 acres of land in Lubbock County, Texas, being all of Survey Nine (9) and Seventy-eight (78) in Block A, and all of Survey Fifteen (15), Block A, except that part conveyed to the Crosbyton South Plains Railway Company for right of way, and that part conveyed to the Peecos & Northern Texas Railway Company for right of way out of said Survey 15, said deed of trust having been made for the purpose of securing the payment of six (6) notes dated February 7, 1921, one note for the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), due March 7, 1921; one note for the sum of Fifteen Hundred (\$1,500.00) Dollars, due April 7, 1921; one note for the sum of Fifteen Hundred (\$1,500.00)

Dollars, due May 7, 1921; one note for the sum of Fifteen Hundred (\$1,500.00) Dollars, due June 7, 1921; one note for the sum of Three Thousand (\$3,000.00) Dollars, due September 15, 1921; and one note for the sum of Three Thousand Fourteen and 36-100 (\$3,014.36) Dollars, due October 15, 1921, with interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum from maturity until paid and ten per cent additional as attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, there being a balance of Three Thousand Three (\$3,003.00) Dollars due and unpaid on the last two notes above described, besides interest on said two notes; and, Whereas the Citizens National Bank of Lubbock, Texas, is the holder and owner of said unpaid indebtedness of \$3,003.00 and interest thereon, and the makers thereof have failed and refused to pay said unpaid balance and wholly made default in the payment thereof; and, Whereas Percy Spencer named and appointed as trustee in said deed of trust has refused to act as such trustee, and said bank has named and appointed Neil H. Wright as substitute trustee and requested and ordered said Neil H. Wright as substitute trustee to sell and convey said land in accordance with said deed of trust and as required by law;

Therefore, I, Neil H. Wright, substitute trustee, will offer for sale and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder on the first Tuesday in May, 1922, same being May 2, 1922, between the legal hours of ten o'clock A. M., and four o'clock P. M., on said day, at the court house door in the town of Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas, all of Survey Nine (9) and Seventy-eight (78), Block A, and all of Survey Fifteen (15), Block A, except the amount heretofore conveyed to said railway companies, as stated above, said land being more fully described in the deed of trust referred to above.

Witness my Hand, this April 8, 1922.

NEIL H. WRIGHT,
Substitute Trustee.

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Dalhart, Texas, April 8.—Fire, of unknown origin, today totally destroyed the three story high school and grammar school brick building in Dalhart, with a loss estimated at \$60,000, with \$49,000 insurance on building, fixtures and text books. The school was attended by approximately 600 students with a faculty of 20.

A modern high school building costing \$125,000 is nearing completion and will probably be used temporarily in the emergency.

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